

Minutes of

DISTRICT 2 COMMITTEE MEETING

January 16, 2026 at 2:00pm

In Person at Club 24

WELCOME AND OPEN: Meeting opened by Bernie S at 2:05 pm with the Serenity Prayer.

TWELVE TRADITIONS: The Twelve Traditions were read by Brian  
Concept One – Interpretation Karen P. Circle of Sisters.

Volunteer for Concept Two - Robert Harbours Group

Approval of Agenda

Motioned to approve the agenda by Brian, seconded by Karen. All in favour.

Motion passed.

7th Tradition was collected.

ROLL CALL: in attendance.

Executive	GSR	Alt GSR	Observers
DCM – Bernie S	Jonathan C - KIS		Marcel - Harbours Group
ALT DCM - Away	Karen P. - Circle of Sisters		
SECRETARY – Sandy			
TREASURER – Vacant	Brian - Tallahassee Group		
	Robert - Harbours Group		

## Roll Call/GSR Reports

Brian Tallahassee Group - Usually 8 - 12 in attendance 2 Birthdays last Wednesday of the month. Brian 19 years and Dennis 25

Robert new GSR Harbours Group (Marcel last GSR was with him) usually 7 - 9 in attendance. (looking for support). Birthdays January 25th Marcel 36 years Kevin 25 years and Jeremy 3 years. Jonathan will be the speaker

Circle of Sisters - meetings Saturday at 5:30 and on zoom Weds. at 7 pm. Birthdays Jan 31st Annie 34 Pam 7, Sam 5 and Betsy . All welcome

Jonathan C KIS Group - meetings every day at noon at least 30 people. Elections for GSR on Monday. Birthdays last Friday of the month Mitch 2 years. Speaker meeting every Friday

Sandy GSR Early Risers Group - Members about 19. Group started putting monies aside to go for a voting year in Nfld. Two birthdays on Jan. 31st Bob H 1 year and Bill R 11 years. Speaker Janet.

Bernie Sunrise Group - Gave a report as they have no GSR. Good attendance 7th usually at least 100. Birthday last Tuesday of the month Kirby 35 years. Will be cheesecake.

Approval Of Dec Minutes. Karen made a motion to accept and it was seconded by

Robert.

## Committee Reports

### Secretary Report

Nothing new to report except the Secretary is now back.

## Treasurer Report

District Two

Financial Report

December 2025

Income

7th Tradition \$0

Donation

Total \$0

Expenses

Cheque to GSO for Circle of Sisters \$500

Total \$500.00

Net Income -\$500.00

Cash Balance December 1 \$4612.79

December Income -\$500.00

Cash Balance December 31 \$4112.79

We have a cheque outstanding to GSO for \$1500.00 for a contribution from District 2 which will bring our new balance to \$2612.79. We will owe Club 24 \$300.00 for rent for the first half of 2026 and our insurance premium for 2026 is due. That's \$50. Also, I have \$100 for DCM expenses. That will bring the new total to \$2162.79. We also have 7th tradition in the amount of \$24.00 that has not been deposited yet. Our budget for 202 had us requiring \$2000.00 for the year. Presuming that is the same amount that we will need for 2026 and I believe it is, then we are good so far.

\*Insurance rate is only \$25\*

Bernie S. Acting Treasurer

## Alt DCM/Workshop Report

Amy is away, ATM so Bernie gave a report. There will be a Tradition workshop on Tradition 7 February 8th.

## DCM Report

January 18, 2026

I would like to welcome any new GSRs to the table.

I have been extremely sick this month and have accomplished literally nothing. I was able to get the cheque signed for GSO and it has been mailed. Good old snail mail. The cheque that I had mailed to GSO on behalf of Circle of Sisters was received by GSO. I did not get a budget prepared as I had hoped and said I would do. I have a financial report prepared. Regarding all that I can say that we are financially secure, we will be able to pay our bills and we will be able to send a representative, either myself or the alt DCM to both the Service weekend and to the fall assembly. Concerning the midwinter roundup, we conducted a walk-through of the hotel where we made some minor changes to where the coffee is set up. We plan to have it in the Commodore room on Saturday, and to have some central service subcommittee displays set up in there also. It should cut down on some of the loud chatter outside of the main meeting rooms.

I can also tell you that at the midwinter roundup, there will be a literature table for AA and one for Al-anon, that the archivist will have a display set up and that a few of the central service subcommittees will have displays set up in the Commodore room.

The Alt DCM was not able to attend this meeting so i will give a report for her on the next workshop. It will be held on the second Sunday in February, the 8th, at 2 pm here at Club 24. It will be on Tradition Seven

using questions from the traditions checklist.

Obviously, Sandy is back as our secretary. She has been having some problems with her email and until we get that remedied, you will be receiving emails of the minutes, etc. from me.

in love and service

Bernie S.

DCM District 2/Acting Treasurer

Area 82

### Central Service report to Jan Districts 1 and 2 meetings

Dec was busy getting the new executive setup and ready to start work Jan 1. As a reminder, the executive for 2026-2027 term are: Chair: Heather L, Cochair: Michael H, Treasurer: Sara G and Secretary: Jarrad S.

News from the Jan 6 CS meeting:

Treatment - has secured about 6 groups to join the rotation to put on meetings at the Homeless Shelter located in the Halifax Forum. The meetings will be on Tuesday at 8pm. Groups or individuals are welcome to contact the Treatment chair (Albert) and add themselves to the rotation. In addition, men and women are needed from the Sackville area to be on the Bridging the Gap list.

CPC - Velma C was elected as cochair. The chair Natalie has all of the bins of CPC materials and is going to meet with previous CPC chair, Kathy S, to get some training and direction. She is actively building a CPC committee; having an actual committee is critical to do the work required. Anyone can be on this committee. Very little time commitment required. Please consider joining. Email or call Natalie; contact information is on the [aahalifax.org](http://aahalifax.org) web site.

PI - Andie F has stepped down as PI chair. I will have all of the PI materials for when we get a new chair elected. Please announce this need to your groups.

Corrections - AA is able to go put on meetings at the Burnside facility. Finally, after 6 years! Corrections, Dave and Isaac, are busy trying to help men and women volunteers get the paperwork done that is required in order to be allowed into the facility. With God's help, AA meetings will start very soon in the jails.

The rest of the committees are functioning well. A few notes:  
Insurance notices have been sent out to all participating groups to pay their share this year (\$25/group). If your group is not a part of this NS-wide insurance policy and would like to be, just email the Insurance chair.

The telephone committee would always benefit from more volunteers. The shifts being covered are day time (9am to 6pm), evening (6pm - 11pm) and overnight. Also any group can be added to the weekend phone rotation.

Finally, the webmaster has come up with a new tri-fold printable meeting list format! It is available from the web for download/printing.

Yours in service,  
Heather L.  
Chair, central service

### Approval of Reports

Motion to approve the reports by Karen P. Seconded by Robert. All in favour. Motion passed.

Visitors with District Related Business – None

### Old Business

1. Election was conducted for District Treasurer. No results.

### New Business

Next meeting is February 15, 2026

Meeting closed with the AA Responsibility

Statement. Meeting ended 2:45 pm.